

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Notice is hereby given that the City of Rensselaer will accept sealed bids for: **Waterfront Public Access Esplanade Tree Removal**. The project consists of the cutting of trees (no grubbing) along a linear corridor (2100'x30') of approximately 1.9 acres.

Contract will be awarded based upon the lowest qualified bid. Contract Documents, including Invitation to Bidders, Instructions to Bidders, Wage Rates, Bid Documents, Agreement, Special Notes, Specifications, Contract Drawings and any Addenda, may be examined at no expense at the office of Creighton Manning Engineering, 2 Winners Circle, Albany, NY 12205 or at the Office of the City Clerk, 62 Washington Street, Rensselaer, New York 12144.

Plans and specifications may be obtained at the City of Rensselaer Office of the City Clerk, 62 Washington Street, Rensselaer, New York, beginning Wednesday March 4th during business hours. For each complete set of drawings, specifications, and bid forms, there is a non-refundable fee of \$50.00. Checks shall be made payable to the City of Rensselaer for each set of contract documents so obtained. CDs containing the bid materials are available for no charge. Pick up of Plans and Specifications to be mailed must be arranged for individually with the shipping company. The City of Rensselaer will not mail Plans and Specifications.

The attention of the Bidders is particularly called to the requirements of work within Amtrak Right-of-Way. Before work on the property can commence, the low-bidder will be required to obtain a permit through their Project Development Officer, at the Bidders expense, and comply with all Amtrak requirements. The completion date for the project is September 30, 2015.

The project is funded by the New York State Department of State under Title 11 of the Environmental Protection Fund and is subject to a combined MWBE Goal of 20%.

Bids to be considered must be received in a sealed envelope at the City of Rensselaer Office of the City Clerk, 62 Washington Street, Rensselaer, New York 12144 by **10:00 AM, local time, on March 25, 2015** at which time and place they will be publicly opened and read aloud. Bids received after the above noted time will not be accepted. All sealed envelopes must be clearly labeled "**BID FOR WATERFRONT PUBLIC ACCESS ESPLANADE TREE REMOVAL**." The sealed bids shall include the completed Bid Form, Non-Collusive Bidding Certification (as required by chapter 956 of the Laws of New York State), and Bid Bond.

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